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LOCAL COUPLE WIN UM COMMUNITY AWARDS

MISSOULA --

John and Katy Delano of Helena have won University of Montana Community Awards for outstanding service to UM and their community.

The two UM alumni received the awards Oct. 15 at a gathering in Helena honoring the University's friends from the capital city.

Delano, owner of the John Delano and Associates lobbying firm, earned a bachelor's degree in business administration in 1947. From 1970 to 1986, he was the executive director of the Montana Railroad Association.

He has been a member of UM's Alumni House of Delegates and the advisory committee for the School of Business and has served as the director of alumni relations. A former state representative, Delano also is the past president of the Montana Jaycees, Helena Kiwanis Club, Helena Community Hospital and Western District Boy Scout Council.

Katy Delano, who earned a bachelor's degree in home economics in 1949, has been a member of the Alumni House of Delegates and is the past alumnae president of Kappa Alpha Theta

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sorority. She was president of the Alumni Association from 1978 to 1979 and has participated in Excellence Fund drives.

The daughter of longtime UM physics Professor G.D. Shallenberger, she heads up a steering committee to organize a volunteer fire department in her district.

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